Good Record.

Secretary Clements Suggests Holding Off Dance and Feast a Day

Final arrangements for the enter tainment of El Paso's soldlers, company K, Fourth Texas infantry, upon Antonio, Texas, will be completed Tuesday morning at 10 oclock when the military committee of the chamber of ce will convene at the City Na-

Tentative plans for the reception were discussed at a meeting Saturday afternoon at the chamber of commerce. which was attended by J. A. Happer, which was alreaged by a. A rapper, as chairman of the military committee, George H. Clemenis, secretary, and he wives, mothers sisters and friends of company K. Mrs. J. J. Mahan, who acted as chairman for the women, outsilined the plans they had formed, which were the same as those discussed at the meeting Friday.

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Mr. Clements said he thought it advistible to arrange to meet the company when they detrained with a military band and have a saort par Te 'h' ough the city. Mr. Clements said the poys would be tired and dirty upon their arrival and would not want to be entertained then, but would most likely desire to go home and meet their relatives. Mr. Clements suggested that the reception be postponed for a day or two, so that the boys would have an opportunity to "clean up" and se in meat condition to attend the social and dance.

To Purchase Two Flags.

The number of purchasing a United States and state of Texas fing for the company was discussed, both by Mr. Happer and Mrs. Mahan. Mr. Happer said two silk fings would be purchased and presented to the company.

Mrs. Mahan asked that her son be given the honor of presenting the fing of Texas to the company. There was no action taken on this.

Mrs. George H. Clements said the girls of Shamrock circle desired to contribute \$24.80 which they had in the treasury to the general fund and not to the purchase of an individual fing.

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To Know Oneself.

FEW DAYS ago, I quoted in part. a letter from a girl named Ruth, El Paso National Guardsmen who claimed she was ugly it Being Mustered Out, Make almost every possible physical way. Which I didn't believe of course, for anyone who wrote such a clever letter, could not be as homely as Ruth claimed

officers, special emphasis was placed upon having El Paso millitamen, has much as it was expected that the men lost by removals would be made up by ocal enlistments. The roster of non commissioned officers, as it now stands, all young men known to El Paso, is:

First sergeant, Jesse Manigold; meso screeant, Ernest Sauer; supply sergeant, George Rilvere; sergeants Louis T. Boyle, Sidney Wharton, John Covert, Harrison Daris, Paul W. McQueen and Roy C. Wheeler.

Corporals: Frank Ross, Will Reed, W. U Lawson, Robert C. Neff, Lester Harbey, Henry Cline, Thornwald Lind, Louis B. Randolph, Will B. Prothoro, Will K. Malone and Jerome Gerlach.

The two cooks were Carl Miller and Frank Manigold; the musicians, H. A. Baker and Allen C. Jones, George Harbey was named an artificer.

The Champion Corporal.

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Then there was Hartow Morris, slender, deferential, youngster when he came in and now the picture of health, the was too individual to gain ground, and too honest to want advantages gained at the price of his pride. It may well be said of him that he's the healthlest man in the outfit. Alsogirls notice—goodlooking.

Paul Fouke was always quaint. Half Indian and half German, he stoicized his way through, making aboriginee remarks upon all things that taroused anger. He was only recorded to have lost his temper twice. In bic cities Paul Fouke had been a decorator—walls and cellings and what not. A spree brought him to us, and it is our genial wish that the same happy humor may influence him as he disappears down the roadway.

Listeful With Tools.

Will B. Prothoro had a knack at tools and read insertions for

M. M.—Shiny noses come from over-worked digestions. Try a diet, it will reduce the amount of fats in the blood, and keep the shine from the nose. Do not use cold cream on the nose, and wash it daily with very hot water and liquid green soap.

receiver and sender of the company, this too, in spite of the fact that he had been nicknamed marblehead.

The pet of the entire company was that little cement finisher. Kinnie Feathers, of El Paso—the boy with light hair, a laugh on his lips, and who no doubt you have noticed on his knees making concrete conform to squares and cubes. He had a cloud over his home when he first came out, but bore his troubles bravely. Soon things changed and he was his very happy self again. He played everything from basketball to teunis. Now and then he would sit around with a quaintly amused look on his face, watching a crooked poker game, or a onesided deal of black lack. Mostly he staid on the outer rim—unless someone got to shaking the hones:

Yankee in Shrewdness,

Gilbert Newsome suggested irritation at first. Later we got out of the idea that he was built for the guardhouse only. God made him indifferent—and with it a shrewdness that was Tankee in texture. He smoked cigars with marked pleasure and always had a supply, however broke everyone che. He said poignant things and always played an excellent hand.

Frank Cussick was terribly Irish. Two generations in this perfectly reconstructed land of America didn't change the whirl of his tongue or the sparks of his comment. He managed and promoted always. If it wasn't managing, then it was promoting. He knew how to beat a drill and insult a non-com without being milled; how to get into stews and yet not pay for the stews. Having been with the Montana guard on strike duty at first he became a sort of walking encyclopedia on military matters.

Datary "Bob" Potter.

There was with us another Irishman.

and how musical were some of them.
For instance, Flavian Aivey, He was
of us, an El Paso worker in gold. He
was possessed of a naive humor most
golden as his metal. He was a



to curing them.

addressed stamped envelope and I will mail you directions for darkening the hair, without harming it.

sociate him with the little coffee par-ties, the intent sessions of card play-ing, the novelty of new gold brick ideas.

So long little Jonesy-Carl Jones, follower of races and circuses. We shall think of this little lad, with his stubby nose and ruddy face, wondering if in civil life, as in the military, he is tired with all his many important businesses of the day, crawling with the same old sense of luxury into his bunk. In January, "Capt Hardtack," a title won by Brax Friend while driving a truck with the Pershing expedition, left for El Paso. He was unique among men. There was only one of his pattern and when a surgeon's certificate of disability was granted theseause of a badly knitted set of bones in the left arm) we missed him. We missed the drawl that was strangely his, the good natured whining, the enormous appetite for one so slender and pale.

Some More Goodbycs.

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Some More Goodbyes.

Bon adventure to Sammy Ventura—
"My Wop," as Billie always called him. He came down from the western land of Oregon to soldier with us, and El Paso knew him well. What a live wire he was—how he loved a scrap, how his arms moved like the strike of a snake. We shall remember how he sang for us, never too bored or worn for a song. It was a good voice and it always sounded best when we lay prone on our bunks.

And Elljah Barbee, at last came his release. How he waited and longed for that release. Good luck, Elljah Barbee, may the gods be generous to you, may the doors of good fortune open up to you, may the nation never again need you as at this critical time and demand an additional sacrifice of you. Tou played your part with dignify and courage.

Goodbye little George Willan—freely.

Dainty "Bob" Potter,

There was with us another Irishman.
Dainty of feet, like his grandame, and gray of eyes, Bob Potter had a stack of qualities. Bob was generous and law shiding, but now and then falling into a temper. He usually got what he wanted. He knew well the comforts of life and how to gain them and hold them; and wherever he cast his tent, it was to attract the lean belted and the seeker of companionship. Iraliand was reflected in his geniality and ireland was reflected in his contempt and disfavor of all things that savored of injustice.

Goodbye little George Willan—freckle-faced boy, also promoter, manager, gold bricker. You filled in the empty places well—friend to all men and enemy to none. In a way—not all the way, but a little way, you were like "Kim," friend to the world. With you incre was never faction nor discoord, You laushed, you watched out for yourself, and best of all you never shirked the humbler things in the ranks. You didn't give a fig about being refined if it interfered with the kitchen police or the dog robbing and we admire you for it.

The Company Cook.

Shake, Carl Miller! Yours was the hardest job of all. You surrendered the privacy of being a private to cook for us; not because rou wanted the courage. Goodbye little George Willian-freck-

hardest job of all. You surrendered the privacy of being a private to cook for us; not because you wanted the bondage to stewpans and blackened pots but because you knew you could change the unhappy temper we had all fallen into through wretched food. You did more to better conditions among us than any other man when the kitchen claimed you, for you knew what it meant to transform the raw product into the delectable dish. You drifted away from us as a squad man when the kitchen claimed you, but we shall remember you more as Carl Miller of the old La Jitas days, when you lay in the shade of the "Go Dirty" shack; looked out upon the turbid Rio Grande and silently hoped for a release.

And it's au revoir to Peter Fan—George Rivere. You went up as fast as the most of us stood still. You deserved all the stripes and labors that came your way and we shall always look back with interest to remember how you pored over your records to make them straight, and how you golden as his metal. He was a mimic, too, loved seances where freedom of views were open to all, and was given to considerable latitude on his own part. Having once served a hitch in the coast militia of California, he was more amenable to discipline than the majority of us and he skirted trouble rather than essayed to be a ruffle in it.

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"Seguin" Gerlach.

And then there was—we had nicknamed him "Seguin"—big, handsome Jerôme Gerlach, stepson of judge E. F. Higging court of appeals, El Paso—so young, so sleepy, so ambitious when on duty; and a corporal because he was so much a soldler the honor could not be denied him. He stood out clear and bravely at all times for fair play. There was no changing or altering him. We shall remember with a sense of friendly amusement his carly attempts to return to civil life through the student's clause and later on alleged defective hearing. All failed—because his was a solid body. We shall remember, also, how the months added rougedness to his nature, malured him, and how at a later time he won the approbation of the colonel by quelling alone a disturbance among the prisoners of the guardhouse.

But what of Castrich—dear, ciratic, ingenious Mason Gobel? We called him Ostrich because he was always most quaint when most serious and most serious when stirred with humor. We shall remember him for his generosity, his readiness to sacrifice his pocketbook and his extra time—for he felt himself tee much a part of us to renig

Jean Gettardy.

And little Jean Gottardy, our inim-

served all the stripes and inbors that came your way and we shall always look back with interest to remember how you pored over your records to make them straight; and how you swore genily when other men would have swore terrificit, over all the old debris of surveyed tents, clothing, and the heaps of worn ordinate.

A Bonch of TEm.

It's the parting of the way. Quiet and mysterious John C. Counts; hotheaded and volcanic Frank Boss; gold-bricking J. T. Edwards, easy going, lacouic Hamilton Baker. We wish you the best of luck, Elmer H. Lancasier, with your slow ways and your reminizent drawl; you, Bill McArthur, with your slow ways and your reminizent drawl; you, Bill McArthur, with your stare and bluffs and good natured haugh; you. Allen C. Jones with your of the kitchen world; you, George Harbey, with your ways of a little child and the body of a giant; you, Lesier Harbey, with your ways of a little child and the body of a giant; you, Lesier Harbey, with your remarkably good breeding at all times and under all circumstances; you, Bill Malone, whimsical, droil, entirely likesible fellow; you, Louie T. Sims, with your imagination and generosity; you, John P. Covert, with a stack of good stories and inimitable anecdotes; you, Sidney Wharton, with your determination to carry out the letter of the law.

We part. It has come. We are glad we are sad I draw the period. I do it reluctantly. For I. John Regin, shall miss each and every one, perhaps the most of all. You are my brothers of the kinki, my brothers of the mess hall, the tents and company streets. We did not fight battles outside—but we did Inside and I think all of us came out victors.

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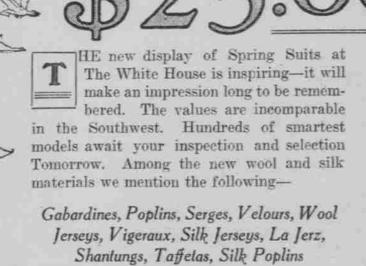
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